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SUBJECT: FRENCH ARMS SALES TO IRAQ

REF: PARIS 10016

FRENCH COUNSELOR SAILLARD TOLD ME APRIL 30 THAT IRAQ HAD

PLACED ORDERS FOR AMMUNITION AND MORTARS AND SOME OTHER
EQUIPMENT ABOUT WHICH HE NOT WELL INFORMED. HE MADE NO
MENTION OF MISSILES. HE SAID NEITHER QUANTITIES NOR TYPE
OF ARMS COULD JUSTIFY CONCLUSION THAT IRAQ HAS DECIDED
TO SEEK MAJOR ARMS SUPPLIERS TO REPLACE USSR.
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